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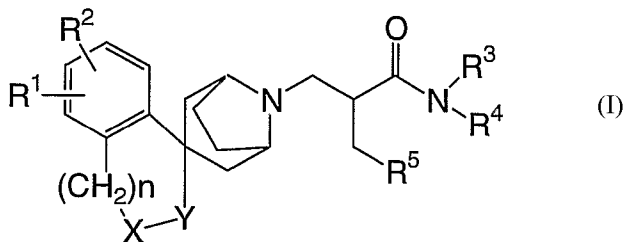
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(57) Abstract: This invention provides the compounds of formula (I), or a pharmaceutically acceptable salt thereof, wherein R^1 and R^2 independently represent hydrogen or the like; R^3 and R^4 independently represent hydrogen or the like; R^5 represents aryl or the like; -X-Y- represents -CH₂O- or the like; and n represents 0, 1 or 2. These compounds have ORL1-receptor antagonist activity; and therefore, are useful to treat diseases or conditions such as pain, various CNS diseases etc.

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